



City of Duncan, Oklahoma

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PROCLAMATION DECLARING STATE OF EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the World Health Organization (WHO) has declared COVID-19 (Coronavirus) to be a global pandemic; and

WHEREAS, the President of the United States of America has declared an infectious disease National Emergency Declaration to combat COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, the Governor of the State of Oklahoma has declared a State of Emergency for all 77 counties in Oklahoma; and

WHEREAS, health professional and researchers have determined COVID-19 is spread by human contact and interaction; and

WHEREAS, practicing methods such as social distancing is believed to slow the spread of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, the spread of COVID-19 is a disaster affecting life, health, and safety of city residents and non-residents alike; and

WHEREAS, the aforementioned conditions constitute a threat to the safety and welfare of the City of Duncan, and create an emergency situation within the meaning of Section 683.3, Oklahoma Emergency Act of 2003, as amended;

NOW, THEREFORE, BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME BY STATE LAW, I, RITCHIE DENNINGTON, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF DUNCAN, OKLAHOMA, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM AND DECLARE:

SECTION ONE: A state of emergency exists within the corporate limits of the City of Duncan, Oklahoma.

SECTION TWO: This proclamation shall become effective at 1:30pm on March 20th, 2020.

SECTION THREE: This state of emergency shall continue until 5:00 pm on June 30th, 2020, or terminated earlier by further proclamation.

PROCLAIMED THIS 20th DAY OF MARCH, 2020.

Christina Johnson
City Clerk

Ritchie Dennington
Mayor